

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Randal D. Moran
Junichi HAYASHI)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2135
Application No.: 10/686,577)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 8946
Filed: October 17, 2003)	
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For: INFORMATION PROCESSING)	
METHOD AND APPARATUS,	:	
COMPUTER PROGRAM, AND)	
COMPUTER-READABLE STORAGE :	:	
MEDIUM)	May 25, 2007

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 27, 2007, please amend the application as follows: